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"AN ACT CONCERNING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STATUTES."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Public Health
4 shall convene a working group to be comprised of the Commissioner
5 of Public Health, or the commissioner's designee; the president of the
6 Connecticut Public Health Association, or the president's designee;
7 representatives of hospitals, health care providers, community health
8 centers and local health departments; two representatives from the
9 pharmaceutical industry; and one representative from a company
10 having expertise in chronic disease management that has its principal
11 place of business in the state. The working group shall study and make
12 recommendations concerning issues relating to chronic disease,
13 including, but not limited to, the five chronic health conditions that are
14 most likely to cause the death or disability of a person in the state. Not
15 later than January 1, 2013, the working group shall report its findings

16 to the Special Advisor to the Governor on Healthcare Reform and the
17 joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance
18 of matters relating to public health."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section